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The Rumanian antitank rifle is the Simonova Soviet type, with a caliber of approximately 14 mm and total length of approximately two meters. There are two folding legs attached to the front part of the barrel which are used to place the rifle in firing position. The outside of the barrel is grooved with fine circles. The rifle belongs to the antitank platoon which is part of the machine gun company. It is effective only against the embrasures and the more vulnerable parts of tanks at a distance up to 200 meters.

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